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Subject: Microsoft Settlement

I find the proposed Microsoft settlement ludicrous.

How does one rectify a predatory monopoly which has leveraged and crushed its way into more and more markets/segements by giving them leverage into yet another market? Microsoft is traditionally weak in the Education market. <insert sarcasm > Wow, they're willing to leverage into it as a "settlement" of antitrust litigation. <end sarcasm>

Ha!

How about forcing a reasonable EULA, forcing the offering of Windows without Explorer, and making them liable for security holes and glitches -- other consumer companies cannot get away with selling a defective product.

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